TIMOTHY JAMES HICKMAN

March 25, 1975 - April 2, 1996

In Tim's early years he enjoyed school, was in cubs, attended church and was involved in the community. His real passion was playing sports – soccer and hockey – particularly being goalie. Tim felt it was important to play as a team player and when he won the awards for his talents including sportsmanship, he was very aware that he was but one member of the team.

He shared his family with many foster children, including several with medical or physical disabilities. He worked for the City of London, Ontario. in day camp programs during the summer and parents and his supervisors noted his special gifts for assisting people with special needs to do their best and reach their potential while at camp.

In the winters, Tim worked in London arenas. People describe Tim as being conscientious, diligent and caring to the people he worked with, but especially to the younger players.

"What I miss most is what I won't have. Those 50 years that I was suppose to spend with Tim, doing simple things like sitting on a deck and relaxing with him or going to some graduation down the road. I'll miss things like that because someone just couldn't take the time."

MICHAEL HICKMAN, BROTHER

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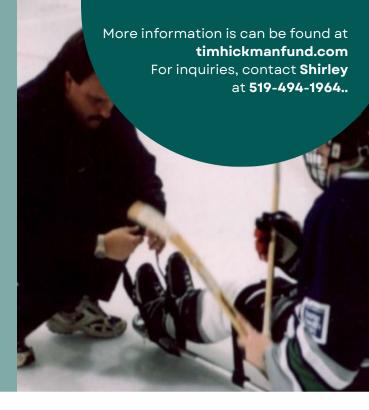
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Our foundation is a registered nonprofit, dedicated to improving the lives of vulnerable people. We bring together the financial resources of individuals, families, and businesses to support those that need our help the most.



OUR MISSION

The Tim Hickman Memorial Fund will assist in the acquisition and adaptation of equipment to allow mentally and/or physically challenged individuals to participate in sporting and recreational activities, while advancing accurate information for accessible and safe participation of all individuals.



WHY A MEMORIAL FUND?

On March 23, 1996 our son Tim was severely burned in an explosion and fire at the Silverwoods Arena, in London, Ontario. Eight days after his 21st birthday, Tim died as a result of his injuries.

To honour Tim's life, his passion for sports and his gift for caring and assisting people with special needs, this fund has been designed to provide an opportunity for people to help people with a disability reach their potential and enjoy participation in a sport.

OBJECTIVES

- TO ASSIST MENTALLY AND/OR PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED INDIVIDUALS TO PARTICIPATE IN SPORTING AND/OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES, WHERE SPECIALIZED EQUIPMENT AND/OR FACILITIES ARE REQUIRED.
- TO ASSIST IN THE ADAPTATION OF EQUIPMENT TO ALLOW MENTALLY AND/OR PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED INDIVIDUALS TO PARTICIPATE IN SPORTING AND/OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES.
- TO ASSIST SPECIALIZED PROGRAMS OR INDIVIDUALS TO ACQUIRE EQUIPMENT TO ALLOW MENTALLY AND/OR PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED INDIVIDUALS TO PARTICIPATE IN SPORTING AND/OR RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES
- TO PROVIDE ACCURATE, FOCUSED INFORMATION AND AWARENESS PROGRAMMING ON THE TOPICS OF ACCESSIBLE AND SAFE PARTICIPATION FOR MENTALLY AND/OR PHYSICALLY CHALLENGED INDIVIDUALS IN SPORTING AND RECREATIONAL ACTIVITIES.